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February 19, 1991

Mr. Frank D. Wicks, General Manager  
Barrick Mercur Gold Mine  
P.O. Box 838  
Tooele, UT 84074

Re: Barrick January 2, 1991 Response to Notice  
of Violation and Order to Submit Plans and  
Information, Docket Number GW90-03.

Dear Mr. Wicks:

We have received the above referenced response to our original Notice of Violation and Order.

We are currently reviewing the details of the response. Part of our review will require the collection of several independent ground water quality samples from monitoring well MW-9. We request that we split these samples with you during your regularly scheduled sampling episodes during the next few months. As you may already be aware, the first samples were collected and split with your staff on February 14, 1991.

After our evaluation and analysis is complete, you will be contacted accordingly regarding the Notice of Violation and Order. If you have any questions or comments please contact Loren Morton at 538-6146.

Sincerely,

Utah Water Pollution Control Committee

Don A. Ostler, P.E.  
Executive Secretary

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